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File No. E-13183

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Smith, et al.

Serial No.: 10/091,833

Filed: 03/05/2002

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
MULTISPRAY EMITTER FOR MASS  
SPECTROMETRY

Art Unit: 2881

Examiner:

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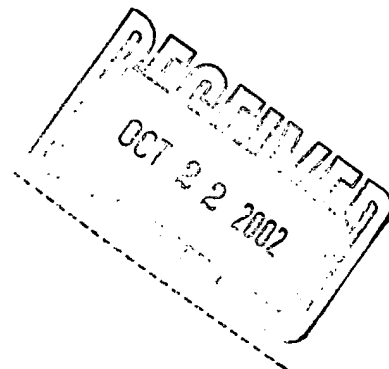
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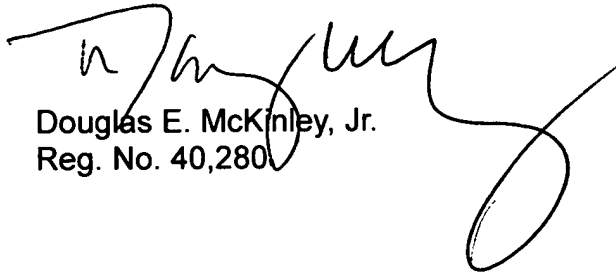
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Respectfully submitted,

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